Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, The Eagle Scouts of America are trustworthy, loyal, helpful, friendly, courteous, kind, obedient, cheerful, thrifty, brave, clean, and reverent; and,

Whereas, Benjamin Lane Hawkins, a young man from Renner, South Dakota, has been participating in scouting, earning many merit badges and skill awards in a myriad of areas; and,

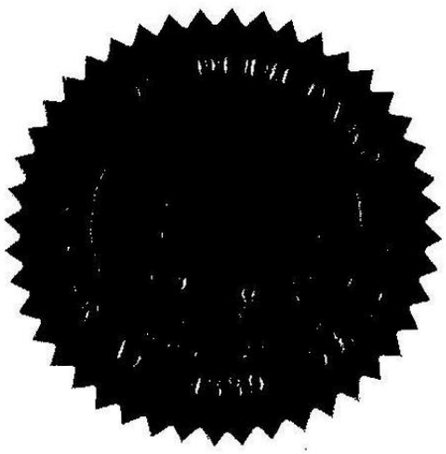
Whereas, Benjamin has been striving for the ultimate goal in scouting, to become an Eagle Scout, and will be recognized at his Eagle Court of Honor on October 6, 2012; and,

Whereas, It is fitting and proper for the Governor to make note of the major accomplishments in the lives of South Dakota's young people:

Now, Therefore, I, Dennis Daugaard, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim October 6, 2012, as

BENJAMIN HAWKINS DAY

in South Dakota.



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-fifth Day of September in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Twelve.

Dennis Daugaard

Dennis Daugaard, Governor

Attest:

Patricia K Miller / Deputy

Jason M. Gant, Secretary of State